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February 24, 2026

The Honourable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building
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Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Sent via Email

Subject: Council Resolution – Support for Expansion of School Bus Stop Arm Camera Systems and Provincial Child Safety Initiatives

Dear Premier Ford,

On behalf of the Council of the Township of Assiginack, I am writing to formally advise you of Resolution No. 171-02-2026, passed at its regular meeting held on February 17, 2026.

Resolution Number 171-02-2026

Moved By Councillor Elliot Seconded By Councillor Maguire

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Township of Assiginack supports the provinces investment in the expansion of school bus stop arm camera system;

AND FURTHER support the municipality of Parry Sound in its request for the province to provide funding tools and legislative support to complement child safety initiatives across the province.

AND FURTHER, a letter be sent to the Premier of Ontario and all Ontario municipalities.

Carried

Through this resolution, Council expressed its support for the Province of Ontario's investment in the expansion of the school bus stop arm camera system and further endorsed the Municipality of Parry Sound's request for provincial funding tools and legislative support to complement child safety initiatives across Ontario.

Council strongly believes that enhanced enforcement measures, along with supportive legislation and funding supports will significantly contribute to improving student safety and reducing dangerous driving behaviours around school buses. These initiatives are a proactive approach towards protecting children and improving community safety across the province.

We respectfully request your consideration of this resolution and thank you for your continued leadership and commitment to child safety.

Sincerely,

Stasia Carr
Township of Assiginack
Clerk